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1845-1858

4-46 E. Hamburg St. (North side)
Baltimore, Md.
Private access

The long rows of two story plus attic, two bay wide brick houses with gable roofs built along this side of Hamburg St. by John S. Gittings in the 1840's and 1850's, are typical of the type of working class housing built in large numbers in this section of Federal Hill in this period. The houses were generally rented to a variety of tenants. Many of these houses have recently been renovated or are in the process of being renovated. 36 E. Hamburg St. is the one exception in the group, being only a two story, gable-roofed house. It was built, however, in the same period.

MARYLAND HISTORICAL TRUST

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

1 NAME

HISTORIC

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

28-34 E. Hamburg St.

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

VICINITY OF

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT
☒ BUILDING(S)
☐ STRUCTURE
☐ SITE
☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC
☒ PRIVATE
☐ BOTH
PUBLIC ACQUISITION
☐ IN PROCESS
☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED
☐ UNOCCUPIED
☒ WORK IN PROGRESS(30)
ACCESSIBLE
☒ YES: RESTRICTED
☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED
☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE ☐ MUSEUM
☐ COMMERCIAL ☐ PARK
☐ EDUCATIONAL ☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE
☐ ENTERTAINMENT ☐ RELIGIOUS
☐ GOVERNMENT ☐ SCIENTIFIC
☐ INDUSTRIAL ☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ MILITARY ☐ OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Telephone #: 833-0100

STREET & NUMBER

CITY, TOWN

VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC. Records Office Room 601

Liber #:

Folio #:

STREET & NUMBER

Baltimore City Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Baltimore

STATE

Maryland 21202

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

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CONDITION

☐ EXCELLENT ☐ DETERIORATED
☐ GOOD ☐ RUINS
☒ FAIR ☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☒ UNALTERED (30-34)
☒ ALTERED (28)

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE
☐ MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

This group of two story plus attic brick houses with gable roofs were built as a unit in the late 1840's by the same builder who constructed the adjoining rows on E. Hamburg St. and the rows on Wheeling St. encompassing 3-25 Wheeling St. 28 E. Hamburg St. is covered with formstone.

The houses are two and a half stories in height, 11 1/2' (30,32) and 12' (28,34) wide, and occupy lots about 51' deep. The houses are two rooms deep and were originally built with one story high, two bay deep kitchen additions. This survives at 32 and 34 E. Hamburg but is gone at 28 and 30 E. Hamburg. The houses are constructed in common bond, but 28 E. Hamburg has been covered with formstone. The low-pitched gable roof has a continuous two-tier brick cornice which extends across the entire facade. Each house has a double rectangular chimney located along both its front and rear gable. 28-30 E. Hamburg and 32-34 E. Hamburg share paired, centrally located chimneys. The rear additions do not currently have chimneys.

The houses have flat wood lintels and sills on all of the openings, although those at 28 E. Hamburg are hidden by the formstone covering. As of this writing 28 and 32 E. Hamburg have 1/1 double hung sash in all of the window openings; 30 E. Hamburg has 6/1 double hung sash in the first and second floor window openings and 3/3 sash in the attic windows; and 34 E. Hamburg has 6/6 double hung sash in the first and second floor windows and 3/3 sash in the attic windows. The houses have a mixed array of door types, though all have a narrow, rectangular single light transom. 28 and 32 E. Hamburg have modern flush doors, 30 E. Hamburg has a modern six panel door, and 34 E. Hamburg has a Mission-style oak door. The houses sit on fairly low basements, the entrances being reached by three wood steps at 28, three brick steps at 30 and 32, and two stone steps at 34 E. Hamburg. Each house has a rectangular coal opening with flat wood lintel located beneath the first floor window.

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

8 SIGNIFICANCE**PERIOD**

☐ PREHISTORIC
☐ 1400-1499
☐ 1500-1599
☐ 1600-1699
☐ 1700-1799
☒ 1800-1899
☐ 1900-

☐ ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC
☐ ARCHEOLOGY-HISTORIC
☐ AGRICULTURE
☒ ARCHITECTURE
☐ ART
☐ COMMERCE
☐ COMMUNICATIONS

AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW

☐ COMMUNITY PLANNING
☐ CONSERVATION
☐ ECONOMICS
☐ EDUCATION
☐ ENGINEERING
☐ EXPLORATION/SETTLEMENT
☐ INDUSTRY
☐ INVENTION

☐ LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE
☐ LAW
☐ LITERATURE
☐ MILITARY
☐ MUSIC
☐ PHILOSOPHY
☐ POLITICS/GOVERNMENT

☐ RELIGION
☐ SCIENCE
☐ SCULPTURE
☐ SOCIAL/HUMANITARIAN
☐ THEATER
☐ TRANSPORTATION
☐ OTHER (SPECIFY)

SPECIFIC DATES 1850-1855

BUILDER/ARCHITECT John S. Gittings

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

See under 4-16 E. Hamburg St.

9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

CONTINUE ON SEPARATE SHEET IF NECESSARY

10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION _____

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

M.E. Hayward / Historic Sites Surveyor

ORGANIZATION

Maryland Historical Trust / Struever Bros. & Eccles

DATE

4/79

STREET & NUMBER

1745 Circle Rd.

TELEPHONE

CITY OR TOWN

Ruxton

STATE

Maryland 21204

The Maryland Historic Sites Inventory was officially created by an Act of the Maryland Legislature, to be found in the Annotated Code of Maryland, Article 41, Section 181 KA, 1974 Supplement.

The Survey and Inventory are being prepared for information and record purposes only and do not constitute any infringement of individual property rights.

RETURN TO: Maryland Historical Trust
The Shaw House, 21 State Circle
Annapolis, Maryland 21401
(301) 267-1438



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Office of Archeology and Historic Preservation
Washington, D.C. 20240

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HISTORIC PRESERVATION CERTIFICATION

APPLICATION — PART 1

(Pursuant to the Tax Reform Act of 1976)

Instructions: Applicant should read the instructions carefully before completing application. No Certification may be made unless a completed application form has been received (P.L. 94-455). Use typewriter or print clearly in dark ink to complete the application form. If additional space is needed to complete Part 1, use the reverse side or a separate plain sheet of paper clearly indicating the owner's name and mailing address. Part 1 of this application may be completed and sent to the appropriate State Historic Preservation Officer at any time during the year, and may be sent separately or with Part 2.

PART 1 EVALUATION OF SIGNIFICANCE

1. NAME OF PROPERTY: 25 E. Lombard StAddress of property Street 50 E. Lombard StCity Baltimore

County

State MarylandZip Code 21201Name of historic district in which property is located Federal Hill

2. DESCRIPTION OF PHYSICAL APPEARANCE:

(see instructions for map and photograph requirements—use reverse side if necessary)

The appearance of this house tells the story of the type of person for whom it was built. It is a simple 2 1/2

3. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

(use reverse side if necessary)

This house was built during the time of Baltimore's industrial revolution and is typical of the type of housing in which the urban worker lived. Its design

Date of construction (if known) c. 1850☒ Original site☐ Moved

Date of alterations (if known)

4. NAME AND MAILING ADDRESS OF OWNER:

Name Michael S. HoffbergerStreet 15016 Pricerille RdCity SparksState MDZip Code 21158Telephone Number (during day): Area Code 301-727-2932

I hereby attest that the information I have provided is, to the best of my knowledge, correct, and that I am owner of the property described above

Signature Michael S. HoffbergerDate 5-12-78

For office use only

The structure described above is included within the boundaries of the National Register historic district and ☒ contributes ☐ does not contribute to the character of the district.The structure ☐ appears ☐ does not appear to meet National Register Criteria for Evaluation (36 CFR 60.6) and ☐ will likely ☐ will not be nominated to the National Register in accord with the Department of the Interior procedures (36 CFR 60).The structure is located in a district which ☐ appears ☐ does not appear to meet National Register Criteria for Evaluation (36 CFR 60.6). ☐ will likely ☐ will not be nominated to the National Register in accord with Department of the Interior procedures (36 CFR 60), and ☐ appears ☐ does not appear to contribute to the character of the district.Signature [Signature]

State Historic Preservation Officer

Date 9-17-80

This property has been evaluated according to the criteria and procedures set forth by the Department of the Interior (36 CFR 67) and, if subject to depreciation, under section 167 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.

☐ is hereby certified a historic structure.☐ does not contribute to the character of the historic district and does not merit certification as a historic structure. Reasons given on the attached sheet.

Signature

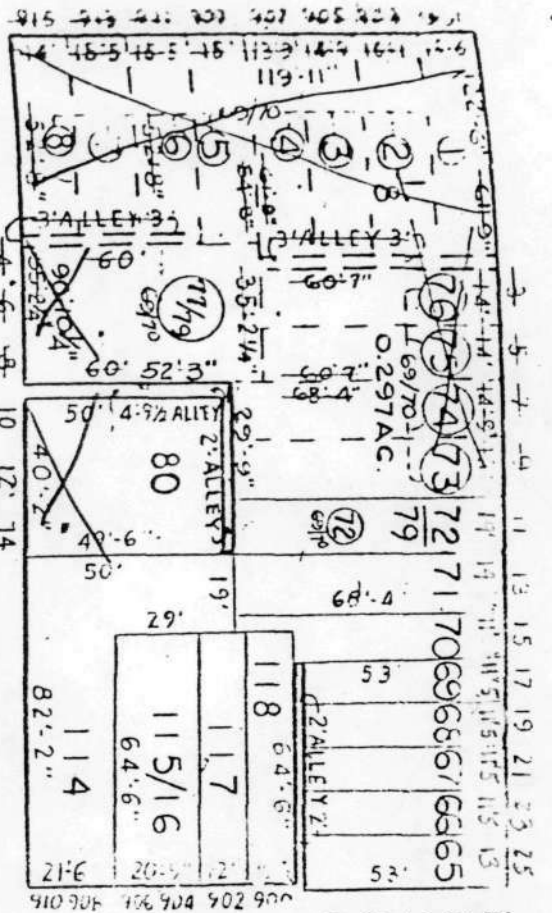
Keeper of the National Register

Date

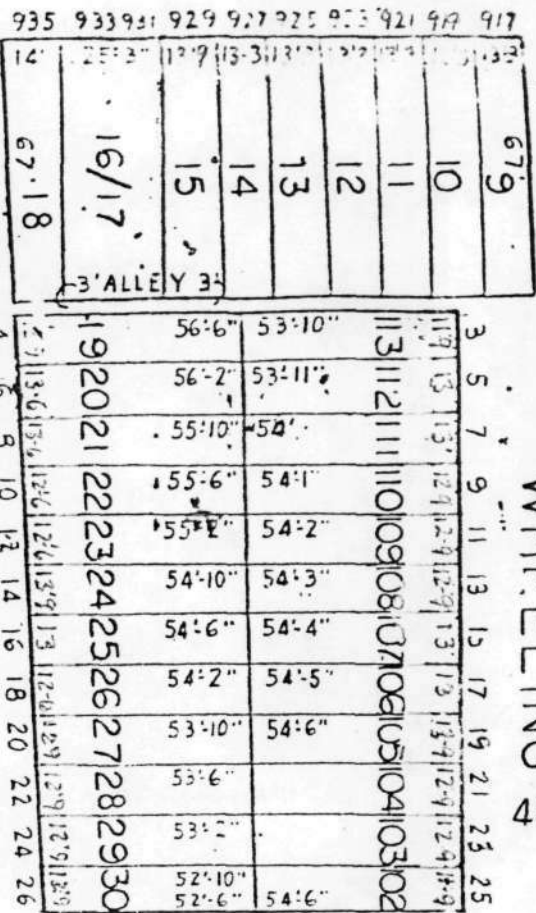
- (2) story brick dwelling with gabled roof of slight pitch allowing for full use of the third floor. The curb at the sidewalk is granite and the street is cobblestone under the asphalt.
- (3) is very simple and its interior is void of any decorative details. The house did have shutters at some time and new shutters were placed on the old hinges.

HENRIETTA

ST.



WHEELING 40'

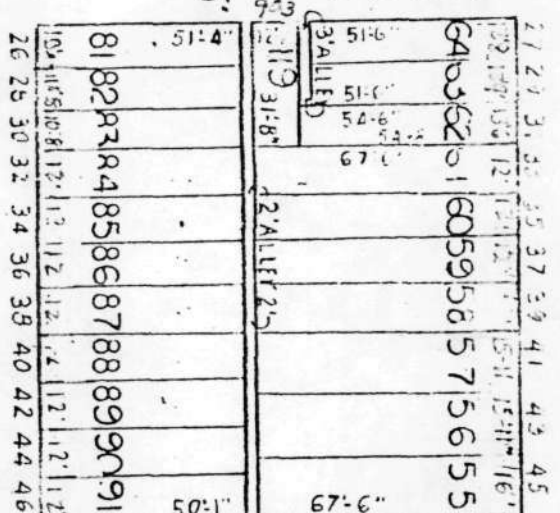


E. HAMBURG

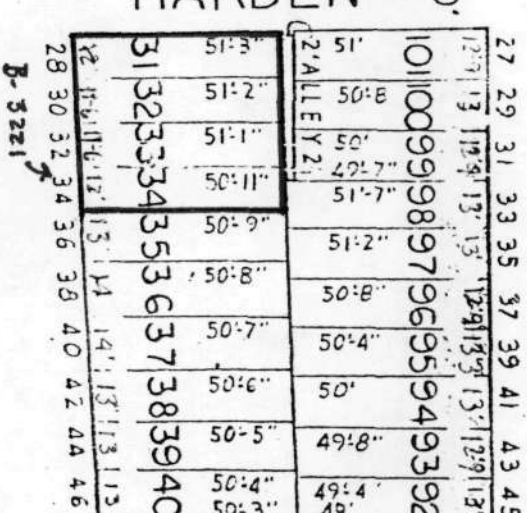
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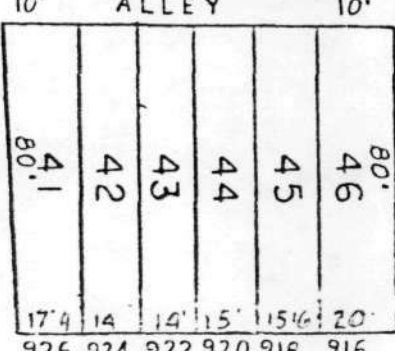
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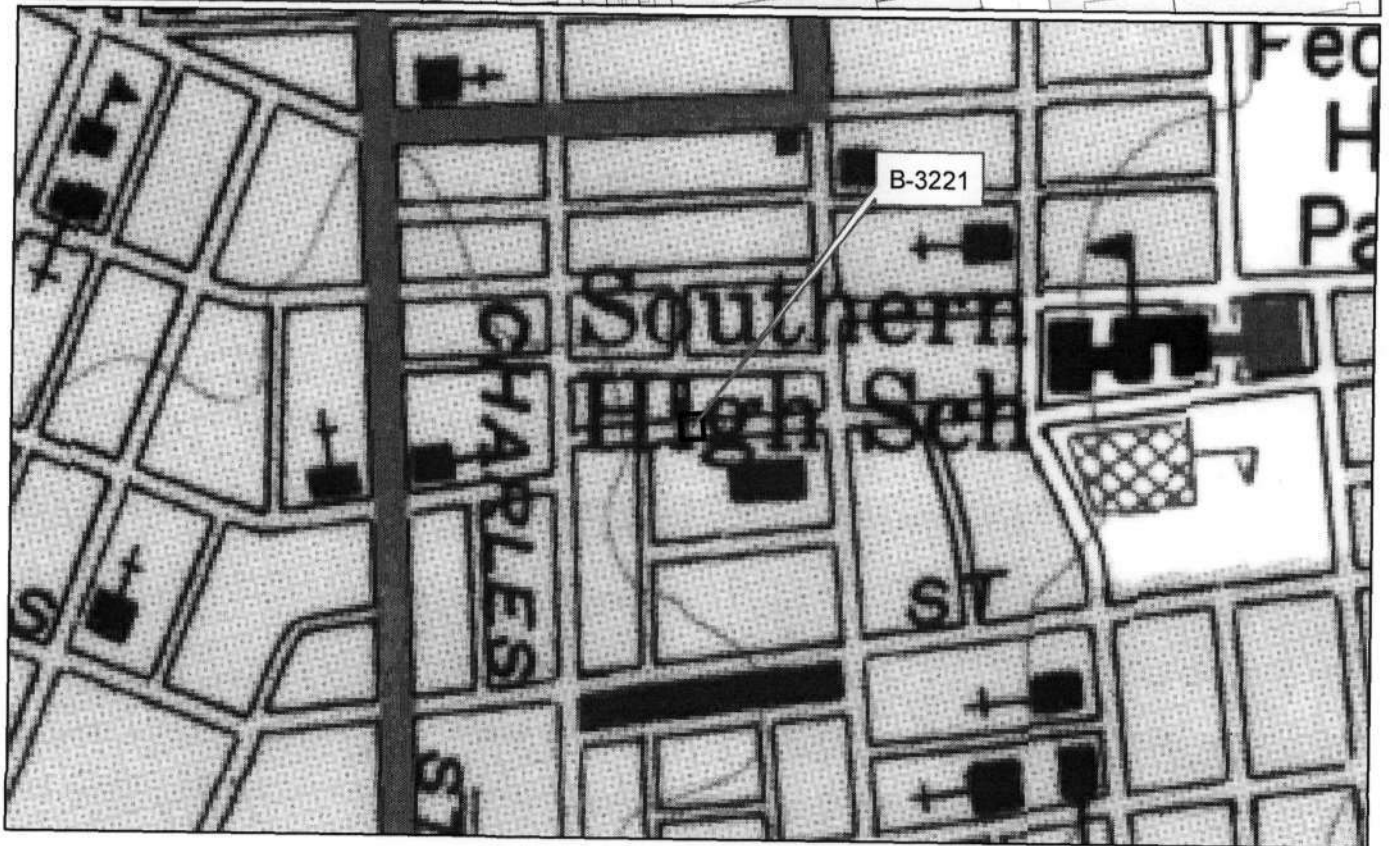


LIGHT

80'

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B-3221
28-34 E. Hamburg Street
Block 0918 Lots 031-034
Baltimore City
Baltimore East Quad.





B-3221 28-34 E. Hamburg St.

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South elevation